

SITUATION REPORT APRIL 8, 2020



Worldwide

1,496,335 Confirmed cases 87,617 Deaths

United States

420,705 Confirmed cases 14,369 Deaths

Michigan

20,347 Tested positive 959 Deaths

Wayne County

9,626 Confirmed cases 446 Deaths

Livonia

340 Confirmed cases42 Deaths



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Situational Awareness

- California Gov. Gavin Newsom said Tuesday that California has secured a monthly supply of 200 million N95 respiratory and surgical masks to help protect health care workers and other essential personnel during the COVID-19 pandemic.
- The State of New York now has the most coronavirus cases; more than even any country in the world, overtaking Spain, according to reports.
- FEMA and the U.S. Customs and Border Protection announce they will stop exports of respirators, surgical masks and surgical gloves, before determining if the equipment should be returned for use in the United States, purchased by the U.S. government or allowed to be exported.
- The Chinese City of Wuhan, the epicenter of the global pandemic, reopened Wednesday after 76 days of lockdown. Tens of thousands boarded trains and planes to leave.
- The Michigan Unemployment Insurance Agency is adding staff and hours to handle unprecedented numbers of unemployment claims due to COVID-19. A new filing schedule is aimed to ease access to its online portal and call center.
- Some in Congress are calling for China to be held accountable for initially covering up the outbreak, an accusation Beijing strongly denies, despite growing evidence.
- General Motors will build 30,000 medical ventilators for the national stockpile based on a contract issued under the Defense Production Act. The contract is worth \$489 million.
- Michigan's DHHS offers assistance with burial costs through the State Emergency Relief program, serving low-income residents. The non-profit <u>Federal Consumers</u> <u>Alliance</u> in Lansing also helps families make funeral decisions including body donation, costs, elimination of excessive fees, etc.

Actions Taken

- The Livonia Donation Team accepts donation of another 1,000 face shields, the second thousand donated by Ford Motor Company and the UAW.
- The City takes steps to recognize local hospital staff and other "frontline heroes," including requesting chalk art messages for the Livonia Community Facebook page.
- The Livonia Planning Commission hosts its first virtual public meeting Tuesday night using the Zoom application, with as many as 18 people "attending" the meeting.

Next Update

• Situation reports are provided daily. Visit our COVID-19 page for more information.

More Information

- Wayne County COVID-19 information line: (734) 287-7870
- Michigan COVID-19 health hotline: 1-888-535-6136

www.waynecounty.com - www.michigan.gov/coronavirus - www.cdc.gov/coronavirus